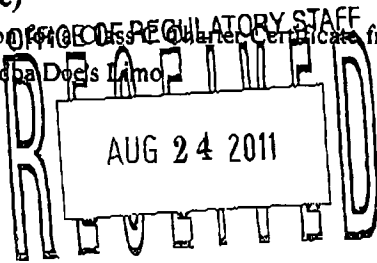


STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

(Caption of Case)

Example: Application for Class E Charter Certificate from
John Doe dba Dogs Limo



BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

TRANSPORTATION COVER SHEET

DOCKET
NUMBER: 2011 - 348 - T

If this is your first time filing an application with the PSC, you will not have a Docket Number. The Commission will assign one to you. If you have filed with the Commission before, a Docket Number was assigned and should be entered above.

(Please type or print)

Submitted by: Marilyn Bowers

Telephone: 864-269-7888

Address: 301 E A Ave

Fax: 864-859-9227

Easley SC 29640

Other:

Email: marilyn@bowerssignatureservices.com

NOTE: The cover sheet and information contained herein neither replaces nor supplements the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law. This form is required for use by the Public Service Commission of South Carolina for the purpose of docketing and must be filled out completely.

NATURE OF ACTION (Check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Application - Class A/A Restricted | <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Name Change on Certificate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application - Class C Taxi | <input type="checkbox"/> Request to Amend Scope of Authority |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application - Class C Charter | <input type="checkbox"/> Request to Amend Tariff (rate increase, etc.) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application - Class C Charter Bus | <input type="checkbox"/> Request to Amend Passenger Limit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application - Class C Non-Emergency | <input type="checkbox"/> Request |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application - Class C Stretcher Van | <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application - Class E Household Goods | <input type="checkbox"/> Late-Filed Exhibit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application - Class E Hazardous Waste | <input type="checkbox"/> Letter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Application | <input type="checkbox"/> Proposed Order |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Extension to Comply with Order | <input type="checkbox"/> Publisher's Affidavit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Order Granting Authority to Obtain a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to be Rescinded | <input type="checkbox"/> Reservation Letter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Cancellation of Certificate | <input type="checkbox"/> Response |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Suspension | <input type="checkbox"/> Return to Petition |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Reinstatement | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

If you have any questions about this form, please contact the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION at 803-896-5100.

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210
(Mailing address: Post Office Drawer 11649, Columbia, SC 29211)

Phone: (803) 896-5100 Fax: (803) 896-5199

APPLICATION FOR CLASS C CHARTER BUS CERTIFICATE

RECEIVED

AUG 24 2011

Date: August 22 2011

CLASS C - CHARTER BUS

T.T.W.W.W

Application is hereby made for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, in accordance with the provision of S.C. Code Ann., § 58-23-10, et seq. (1976), and amendments thereto.

1. Name under which business is to be conducted (corporation, partnership, or sole proprietorship, with or without trade name.)

Bowers Signature Services, LLC

301 E A Ave, Easley SC 29640

Street Address of Applicant

Mailing Address of Applicant (if different from street address)

864-269-7888

Phone

864-859-9227

Fax

marilyn@bowerssignatureservices.com

Email Address

2. If the Applicant is an LLC or a corporation, a copy of the Certificate of Existence from the South Carolina Secretary of State and the Articles of Incorporation must be attached. (If incorporated outside of SC, attach South Carolina Secretary of State "Foreign Corporation" Certificate.)

3. Select Entity Type: (Check one)

☐ Individual Owner/Sole Proprietorship

☒ Partnership - List names and addresses of all person having an interest in the business.

☐ Corporation - List names and addresses of two principal officers.

Marilyn Bowers

Randy Bowers

DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT

[illegible]

INSURANCE QUOTE

This form **MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED** by an **AUTHORIZED INSURANCE COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE**. The insurance quote must be complete, listing current insurance premiums. At the discretion of the Commission, a copy of current insurance policies may be required. Do not provide a copy of insurance policies unless requested. You will not be required to purchase insurance until your application has been approved and an order has been issued by the PSC. **THIS IS ONLY A QUOTE.**

The following insurance quote is for:

Bowers Signature Services, LLC

Name of Applicant

301 E A Ave, Easley SC 29640

Address of Applicant

Amount of Premium:**Limits Quoted: (See Below)**

Liability Insurance \$ 33,327

Limits 1,000,000 LSC

The above quoted premium is for a term of 12 months.

Minimum Limits - Intrastate Only:

16 or More Passengers* \$ 25,000/300,000/25,000

* Passengers = Number of seatbelts in the vehicle,
including the driver's seatbelt

Zurich American Insurance Company

Name of Insurance Company

13810 FNB Pkwy Omaha, NE 68154-5202

Home Office Address of Company

I am familiar with the Commission's Rules and Regulations relating to insurance requirements and the above quote meets the minimum insurance limits prescribed. The insurance company making this quote is authorized by the South Carolina Department of Insurance to do business in South Carolina.

8/22/11

Date

Cindy Elbert

Authorized Insurance Company Representative's Signature

NOTICE:

If you wish to self-insure your motor vehicles for liability and property damage, you must comply with S.C. Code Ann. Sections 56-9-60 and 58-23-910. For more information, contact Vickie Coker with the Department of Motor Vehicles at (803) 896-8457.

If you wish to apply as a self-insured for worker's compensation coverage in South Carolina you may do so with the South Carolina Worker's Compensation Commission (WCC) provided that you will be able to: 1) post a surety bond or letter-of-credit with the WCC for a minimum of \$500,000, 2) agree to pay a yearly self-insurance tax, and 3) agree to pay an annual assessment to the South Carolina Second Injury Fund. For more information, contact the WCC Self-Insurance Division at (803) 737-5712 or on the web at www.wcc.state.sc.us/self-insurance.

Exhibit Fit, Willing, and Able (FWA)

Bowers Signature Services, LLC
Name of Applicant

2057020
U.S.D.O.T No.

ICC No.

1. Does Applicant have a Safety Rating from the U.S.D.O.T.?

☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Pending (Submit when received.)

If Yes, indicate rating below and provide copy.

☒ Satisfactory ☐ Conditional ☐ Unsatisfactory

2. Have any of Applicant's drivers or vehicles been places "out of service" by Transport Police safety officers in the past twelve (12) months?

☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Are there currently any outstanding judgments against the Applicant?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, indicate nature of judgement(s) against applicant.

4. Is Applicant familiar with all insurance regulations and safety regulations governing charter bus carrier operations in South South Carolina, and does Applicant agree to operate in compliance with these regulations?

☒ Yes ☐ No

5. Is Applicant aware of the Commission's insurance requirements and the insurance premium costs associated therewith?

☒ Yes ☐ No

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA
POST OFFICE DRAWER 11649
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Applicant is familiar with the provision of S.C. Code Ann. §58-23-10, et seq.(1976), and amendments thereto, and R.103-100 through R.103-241 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations for Motor Carriers (Volume 26, S.C. Code Ann. Regs., 1976), and R.38-400 through R.38-503 of the Department of Public Safety's Rules and Regulations for Motor Carriers (Volume 23A, S.C. Code Ann., 1976) and amendments thereto, and hereby promises compliance therewith.

The Applicant for the Certificate as set forth in the foregoing, swear or affirm that all statements contained in the above application are true and correct.

Marietta W Bowers
Applicant's Signature

Partner
Title of Applicant (e.g. President, Owner, etc.)

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF South Carolina)

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
This 23 day of August 2011

Obdulia B. Brown
Notary Public

My Commission Expires December 14, 2017

Commission Expires _____

Detach, complete and remit AFTER your safety audit has been performed by State Transport Police.

Marilyn Bowers
Applicant's Name

Safety Certification

If your operations are subject to Safety Fitness Procedures of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSR) (49 CFR Parts 100-199), even if you have not yet received a Safety Fitness Rating, you must certify as follows:

Applicant has access to and is familiar with all applicable U.S.D.O.T. regulations relating to the safe operation of commercial vehicles. In so certifying, applicant is verifying that, as a minimum, it:

1. Has in place a system and an individual responsible for ensuring overall compliance with the FMCSR and the HM regulations;
2. Can produce a copy of the FMCSR and the HM regulations;
3. Has in place a driver safety/orientation program;
4. Is familiar with the FMCSR governing driver qualifications and has in place a system for overseeing driver qualification requirements in accordance with 49 CFR Part 391.51C;
5. Has in place policies and procedures consistent with FMCSR governing driving and operational safety of commercial motor vehicles, including drivers' hours of service and vehicle inspection, repair, and maintenance (49 CFR Parts 392, 395 and 396);
6. Is in compliance with the Controlled Substance and Alcohol Use and Testing as stated in FMCSR (49 CFR Part 40, 382, if applicable).

PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE BELOW:

☒ Yes ☐ Not Applicable

Exempt Applicants - If you will operate only small vehicles (GVWR of 10,000 pounds or less) and do not transport hazardous materials in a quantity to require placarding under the HM regulations and are thus exempt from the FMCSR and HM regulation, you must certify as follows:

Applicant is familiar with and will observe FMCSR general operational safety fitness guidelines.

PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE BELOW:

☐ Yes ☒ Not Applicable

Any applicant who certifies they are in compliance with FMCSR and/or the HM regulations and upon completion of a compliance review audit, is found not to be in compliance, may have its certificate revoked.

I, Marilyn Bowers, verify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of South Carolina, that all information supplied on this form or relating to this application is true and correct. Further, I certify that I am qualified and authorized to file this application. I know that willful misstatements or omissions of material fact constitute criminal violations punishable by imprisonment and fines as prescribed by law. (Note: This oath embraces all schedules and supplemental filings to this application).

Marilyn W Bowers
Applicant's Signature

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
This 23 day of August, 2011

Sharon Brown
Notary Public

My Commission Expires December 14, 2017

Commission Expires _____

Print Application

The State of South Carolina



Office of Secretary of State Mark Hammond

Certificate of Existence

I, Mark Hammond, Secretary of State of South Carolina Hereby certify that:

BOWERS SIGNATURE SERVICES, LLC, A Limited Liability Company duly organized under the laws of the State of South Carolina on July 9th, 2010, with a duration that is at will, has as of this date filed all reports due this office, including its most recent annual report as required by section 33-44-211, paid all fees, taxes and penalties owed to the Secretary of State, that the Secretary of State has not mailed notice to the company that it is subject to being dissolved by administrative action pursuant to section 33-44-809 of the South Carolina Code, and that the company has not filed a certificate of cancellation as of the date hereof.

Given under my Hand and the Great Seal of the
State of South Carolina this 9th day of July,
2010

A handwritten signature of Mark Hammond in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

Mark Hammond, Secretary of State